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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0005] with the following amended paragraph:

[0005] Other approaches involve implantation of materials to bulk up the region surrounding the anus. U.S. Patent Nos. 6, 533,717 and 6,595,910 to Silverman et al., for example, disclose a non-aqueous solution introduced into the rectal wall that forms a non-biodegradable solid. U.S. Patent Nos. 5,792,478 to Lawin et al. and ~~6,190,648~~ 6,190,684 to Hensch et al. disclose addressing fecal incontinence by implantation of various solids in solution.